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## ALABAMA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

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### MEMORANDUM 2009-13

**TO: ALL COUNTY ENGINEERS AND DIVISION COUNTY  
TRANSPORTATION ENGINEERS**

**FROM:**

**D. E. Phillips, Jr., P.E.  
State County Transportation Engineer**

**RE: 2009 Vegetation Management Training**

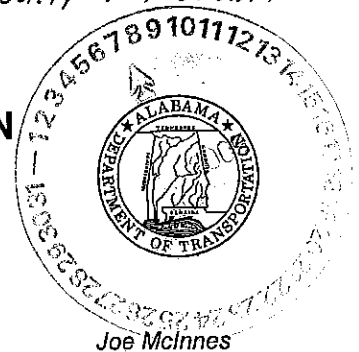
Please see the attached letter from Mr. Stacey Glass, Assistant State Maintenance Engineer, Management & Training outlining the schedule and agenda for the subject training.

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April 6, 2009

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## MEMORANDUM

TO: Mr. Johnny Harris      Mr. DeJarvis Leonard      Mr. J. M. Griffin  
Mr. James D. Brown      Ms. Dee Rowe      Mr. Jerry Holt  
Mr. Brian C. Davis      Mr. John E. Lorentson      Mr. Vincent E. Calametti

FROM:   
Stacey Glass, Asst. State Maintenance Engineer, Management & Training

ATTN: Maintenance Engineers

RE: 2009 Vegetation Management Training

The Maintenance Bureau of the Alabama Department of Transportation will once again be conducting a series of training sessions covering the ALDOT Vegetation Management Program. One session will be held in each of the nine Divisions located throughout the State; each meeting will begin promptly at 9:00 AM and will conclude around 4:00 PM. The dates and locations are as follows:

October 6, 2009: 2<sup>nd</sup> Division Auditorium; AL Highway 20, East, Tuscumbia, AL  
October 7, 2009: 1<sup>st</sup> Division Auditorium; 23445 US Highway 431, North, Guntersville, AL  
October 8, 2009: 3<sup>rd</sup> Division Auditorium; 1020 Bankhead Highway, West, Birmingham, AL  
October 20, 2009: 5<sup>th</sup> Division Auditorium; 2715 Skyland Blvd. East, Tuscaloosa, AL  
October 21, 2009: 6<sup>th</sup> Division Training Facility; 660 Chisholm Street, Montgomery, AL  
October 22, 2009: 4<sup>th</sup> Division Auditorium; 240 US Highway 280, Alexander City, AL  
November 3, 2009: 7<sup>th</sup> Division Auditorium; 299 Elba Highway, Troy, AL  
November 4, 2009: 9<sup>th</sup> Division Complex, Building N; 1701 North Beltline Highway, Mobile, AL  
November 5, 2009: 8<sup>th</sup> Division Auditorium; 129 US Highway 84, East, Grove Hill, AL

The Maintenance Bureau has reserved the respective auditoriums for the dates listed above; however, we would ask that you have your Division personnel confirm the reserved date. Each Division should invite city, county and other local personnel that would benefit from this class. We also ask that the County Transportation Bureau notify county personnel of the training dates.

The training sessions will be conducted by employees of ALDOT as well as academic and industry representatives. Those in attendance will be ALDOT, city, and county personnel and other interested individuals from the ROW maintenance industry. 10 points towards Applicator Permit Re-certification for **ROW and Demonstration & Research categories** will be awarded to participants.

ALDOT attendees should be selected based upon their involvement – operational, administrative, supervisory, or other support role in ROW Vegetation Management. No registration is required; however, class enrollment should be made through your respective Division Training Coordinators.

If you should have any questions or comments concerning this matter please contact this office.

#### Attachment

C: D.E. Phillips  
Ron Newsome  
Howard Peavey  
Jacob Hodnett  
Cheryl Klein  
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**Alabama Department of Transportation  
Vegetation Management Training  
2009 Program Agenda**

9:00 A.M.	<b>Ron Newsome, Asst. State Maintenance Engineer</b> - Welcome & Introductions - Administrative Comments
9:30 A.M.	<b>Howard Peavey, ALDOT Agronomist</b> - Miscellaneous Herbicide Issues
10:00 A.M.	<b>Herbicide Industry Representative</b> - Industry Updates
10:30 A.M.	BREAK
10:50 A.M.	<b>Jason Belcher, Auburn University</b> - Weed Identification
11:20 A.M.	<b>Howard Peavey, ALDOT Agronomist</b> - ALDOT Herbicide Program (Turf)
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1:00 P.M.	<b>Howard Peavey, ALDOT Agronomist</b> - ALDOT Herbicide Program (Brush & Others)
1:30 P.M.	<b>Jason Belcher, Auburn University</b> - Environmental Fate of ALDOT Program Products (movement & degradation)
2:00 P.M.	BREAK
2:20 P.M.	<b>Jason Belcher, Auburn University</b> - ALDOT Herbicide Research
3:00 P.M.	<b>Jacob Hodnett, ALDOT Agronomist</b> - Herbicide Storage & Container Management
3:30 P.M.	<b>Howard Peavey, ALDOT Agronomist</b> - Bridge Vegetation Management
4:00 P.M.	ADJOURN